Striving Readers Application Review Process

The Striving Readers Application Review Committee consisted of seven members from across the state: four from the Nevada State Literacy Team (NSLT), 1 administrator, 1 teacher and 1 family representative. The committee members were given support from the Nevada Department of Education (NDE) prior to the funding committee meeting. A rubric of selection criteria was used by each committee member and the review committee was given ample time to independently read, review and score each of the applications. The recorded application scores were faxed on March 26, 2012 by each committee member to the NDE.

The application review committee came together and collectively made all funding recommendations on March 29, 2012. Since the funding announcement on March 30, 2012 each of the Local Education Agencies who applied for the grant has received feedback highlighting the strengths and weaknesses as noted by the review committee. All funded LEA applications have been publicly posted on the Striving Readers website:

https://bighorn.doe.nv.gov/sites/CommonCore/ccss/Pages/StrivingReaders.aspx

The NDE would like to thank the following people for their participation as part of the Striving Readers application review committee:

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